



San Diego State University

COMMENCEMENT HOODS BY COLLEGE

College of Science

Masters	Hood Color
Applied Mathematics (MS)	Gold
Astronomy (MS)	Gold
Biology (MA, MS)	Gold
Biomedical Quality Systems (MS)	Gold
Bioninformatics and Medical Informatics	Gold
Chemistry (MA, MS)	Gold
Computational Science (MS)	Gold
Computer Science (MS)	Gold
Geological Sciences (MS)	Gold
Homeland Security (MS)	Gold
Mathematics (MA)	Gold
Medical Physics	Gold
Microbiology (MS)	Gold
Physics (MA, MS)	Gold
Psychology (MA, MS)	Gold
Radiological Health Physics (MS)	Gold
Regulatory Affairs (MS)	Gold
Statistics (MS)	Gold

Doctoral

Biology	Royal Blue
Chemistry	Royal Blue
Clinical Psychology	Royal Blue
Computational Science (Statistics)	Royal Blue
Ecology	Royal Blue
Mathematics and Science Education	Royal Blue

Certificate Programs

Biotechnology	No Hood (Gold Tassel)
Communications Systems	No Hood (Gold Tassel)
Geographic Information Science	No Hood (Gold Tassel)
Mathematics Specialist	No Hood (Gold Tassel)
Professional Computational Science	No Hood (Gold Tassel)
Regulatory Affairs	No Hood (Gold Tassel)
Single Subject Mathematics	No Hood (Gold Tassel)



College of Arts and Letters

Anthropology	White
Big Data Analytics	Gold
Creative Writing (Master of Fine Arts).....	Brown
Criminal Justice	Purple
Economics	White
English	White
French.....	White
Geography (MA, MS).....	White
History	White
Latin American Studies (MA).....	White
Latin American Studies (MPA/ MA—Jointly with College of PSFA)	Peacock/ White
Latin American Studies (MPH/ MA—Jointly with College of Health and Human Services).....	Salmon/ White
Liberal Arts and Sciences	White
Linguistics.....	White
Philosophy	White
Political Science.....	White
Rhetoric and Writing Studies	White
Sociology	White
Spanish	White
Women’s Studies	White

Doctoral

Geography	Royal Blue
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College of Professional Studies and Fine Arts

School of Art and Design

Art, Art History Concentration, (MA).....	White
Art, (MFA).....	Brown
Art, Studio Arts Concentration, (MA)	White

School of Communication

Communication, (MA)	Crimson
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School of Hospitality and Tourism Management

Hospitality and Tourism Management, (MS).....	White
Meeting and Event Management, (MS).....	White

School of Journalism and Media Studies

Communication, Specialization in Mass Communication and Media Studies, (MA).....	Crimson
Mass Communication, (MA)	Crimson
Learning Design and Technology, (MA)	Crimson



College of Professional Studies and Fine Arts, continued

School of Music and Dance

Critical Studies in Music, (MA)	Pink
Music, Composition Specialization, (MM)	Pink
Music, Conducting, (MM)	Pink
Music, Jazz Studies, (MM)	Pink
Music, (MA)	Pink
Music, (MM)	Pink
Music, Music Theory, (MA)	Pink
Music, Performance, (MM)	Pink
Music, Piano Pedagogy, (MA)	Pink
Music, Musicology, (MA)	Pink

School of Public Affairs

Public Administration, City Planning Concentration, (MPA)....	Peacock
Public Administration, Criminal Justice Administration Concentration, (MPA)	Peacock
Public Administration, (MPA)	Peacock
Public Administration, M.P.A. and Latin American Studies, (MA)	Peacock
City Planning, (MCP)	Blue Violet
Criminal Justice and Criminology, (MS)	Gold

School of Theatre, Television and Film

Film and Television Production, (MFA)	Brown
Screen Writing, (MFA)	Brown
Musical Theatre, (MFA)	Brown
Theatre Arts, Concentration in Acting, (MFA)	Brown
Theatre Arts, Concentration in Design and Technology, (MFA) .	Brown
Theatre Arts, Concentration in Musical Theatre, (MFA)	Brown
Theatre Arts, (MFA)	Brown
Theatre Arts, (MA)	White

College of Business Administration

Accountancy–MS	Drab
Business Administration–MBA	Drab
Business Administration–MS, with a concentration in:	
Entrepreneurship	Drab
Finance	Drab
Financial and Tax Planning	Drab
Human Resource Management	Drab
International Business	Drab
Management	Drab
Marketing	Drab
Real Estate	Drab



College of Business Administration, continued

Supply Chain Management.....	Drab
Taxation	Drab
Business Administration/Latin American studies–MBA/MA.....	Drab
Business Administration and Juris Doctor–MBA/JD (with California Western School of Law).....	Drab
Cybersecurity Management–MS	Drab
Finance–MS	Drab
Global Business Development–MS.....	Drab
Information Systems–MS	Drab
Supply Chain Innovation–MS.....	Drab

College of Health and Human Services

Department of Gerontology

Master.....	Gold
Certificate Program	No Hood (Gold Tassel)

School of Exercise and Nutritional Sciences

Kinesiology (MA).....	Sage
Exercise Physiology (MS).....	Sage
Nutritional Sciences (MS).....	Gold
Nutritional Sciences and Exercise Physiology (MS)	Gold

School of Nursing

Community Health Nursing (MS).....	Apricot
Advance Practice Nursing of Adults and Elderly (MS).....	Apricot
Nursing Education (MS)	Apricot
Nursing Systems Administration (MS).....	Apricot

Graduate School of Public Health

Toxicology (MS).....	Salmon
Global Emergency Preparedness and Response(MS).....	Salmon
Health Services Administration	Salmon
Epidemiology.....	Salmon
Biometry	Salmon
Environmental Health	Salmon
Health Promotion.....	Salmon
Master of Public Health and Social Work.....	Salmon
MPH/MA in Public Health/Latin American Studies	Salmon
Physical Therapy.....	Teal-Doctoral

Doctor of Philosophy:

Health Behavioral Sciences	Royal Blue
Global Health.....	Royal Blue
Epidemiology, Preventive Medicine Residency Certificate	Royal Blue



College of Health and Human Services, continued

School of Speech, Language and Hearing Sciences

Credentials/Other:

Education Specialist Credential	Citron
Transdisciplinary Autism Specialty Project	Citron
Clinical Rehabilitative Services Credential	Citron
Transdisciplinary Education for Achievement in Multilingual Schools	Citron
Bilingual Speech-Language Pathology Certificate	Citron
Additional Certificates and Licensure	Citron
Audiology	Green-Doctoral

School of Social Work

MSW:

Master of Social Work and Public Health.....	Citron
Master of Social Work and Juris Doctor.....	Citron
MSW Advanced Standing Program	Citron

Credentials:

California Pupil Personnel Services Credentials in School of Social Work	Citron
California Pupil Personnel Services Credentials in Child Welfare and Attendance	Citron

Special Programs:

MSW Title IV-E Child Welfare Stipend Program	Citron
Mental Health Training Program.....	Citron
MSW International	Citron

College of Education

ARPE

Master of Arts in Education with Concentration in Educational Leadership (post-secondary)	Light Blue
Master of Arts degree in Postsecondary Educational Leadership and Student Affairs	Light Blue
Master of Science in Rehabilitation Counseling	Light Blue

CSP

Educational Specialist in School Psychology and Pupil Personnel Services Credential: School Psychology.....	Light Blue
Master of Arts in Education with Concentration in Counseling: The Community Based Block.....	Light Blue
Master of Arts in Education with Concentration in Counseling: School Psychology.....	Light Blue
Master of Science in Counseling with Concentration in Marriage & Family Therapy.....	Light Blue



College of Education, continued

CSP, continued

Master of Science in Counseling
with Concentration in School Counseling
and Pupil Personnel Service CredentialLight Blue

DLE

Dual Language and English Learner EducationLight Blue

Multiple Subject BCLAD: Bilingual CredentialLight Blue

Single Subject BCLAD: Bilingual CredentialLight Blue

EDL

Master of Arts in Education with a Concentration in Educational
Leadership and Specialization in Pre K-12 Education and
Preliminary Administrative Services CredentialLight Blue

Preliminary Administrative Services CredentialLight Blue

Professional Administrative Services CredentialLight Blue

Jt. Doctorate in Educational
Leadership w/UCSD/CSUSMLight Blue-Doctoral

EDTEC

Master of Arts in Education with a
Concentration in Educational TechnologyLight Blue

SPED

Master of Arts in Education with Concentration in
Special Education & Specialization in AutismLight Blue

Master of Arts in Education with Concentration in
Special Education & Specialization in
Developing Gifted Potential.....Light Blue

Master of Arts in Education with Concentration in
Special Education & Specialization in Early Childhood.....Light Blue

Master of Arts in Education with Concentration in
Special Education & Specialization in
Mild-Moderate Disabilities.....Light Blue

Master of Arts in Education with Concentration in
Special Education & Specialization in
Moderate-Severe DisabilitiesLight Blue

Master of Arts in Education with Concentration in
Special Education & Specialization in
Vocational TransitionLight Blue

Early Childhood Special Education CredentialLight Blue

Mild-Moderate Disabilities CredentialLight Blue

Moderate-Severe Disabilities Credential.....Light Blue

STE

Master of Arts in Education with a Concentration in
Elementary Curriculum & Instruction.....Light Blue

Master of Arts in Education with a Concentration in
Mathematics EducationLight Blue

Master of Arts in Education with a Concentration in
Reading Education and Reading-Language
Arts Specialist CredentialLight Blue



College of Education, continued

STE, continued

Master of Arts in Education with a Concentration in Secondary Curriculum & Instruction	Light Blue
Reading-Language Arts Specialist Credential	Light Blue
Multiple Subject Credential: Accelerated Program	Light Blue
Multiple Subject Credential: Alliance for Excellence	Light Blue
Multiple Subject Credential: Chula Vista	Light Blue
Multiple Subject Credential: North County	Light Blue
Multiple Subject Credential: Santee	Light Blue
Multiple Subject Credential: Strategic Choices in Education ...	Light Blue
Single Subject Credential: Campus	Light Blue
Single Subject Credential: City Heights	Light Blue
Single Subject Credential: Innovated School Partnership	Light Blue
Single Subject Credential: Partners in Education	Light Blue
Single Subject Credential: Part Time	Light Blue
Single Subject Credential: Sweetwater	Light Blue

USD/SDSU

Jt. Doctoral Program in Education	Light Blue-Doctoral
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CGU/SDSU (PHD)

Jt. Doctoral Program in Education	Royal Blue-Doctoral
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College of Engineering

Master of Science Degree (MS):

Aerospace Engineering	Orange
Bioengineering	Orange
Civil Engineering	Orange
Electrical Engineering	Orange
Mechanical Engineering	Orange

Master of Engineering (MEngr) Degree:.....Orange

Doctoral (PhD) Degree:

Engineering Science (Bioengineering)	Royal Blue-Doctoral
Engineering Science (Electrical and Computer)....	Royal Blue-Doctoral
Engineering Science (Mechanical and Aerospace)..	Royal Blue-Doctoral
Engineering Science (Structural)	Royal Blue-Doctoral